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SUBJECT: LICENSING U.S. TUNA BOATS IN PNG ZONE

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1. DURING MEETING ON WEST COAST JULY 13 WITH REPS OF
U.S. TUNA INDUSTRY, DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS CONFIDENTIALLY
DISCUSSED WITH VAN CAMP REP THIER ATTEMPTS TO LICENSE
TUNA BOATS IN PNG ZONE. VAN CAMP REP STATED THAT JEANETTE
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"C" IS "ONE OF OURS" AND THAT COMPANY REP DON CHERRY HAD
DISCUSSED WITH PNG OFFICIALS POSSIBILITY OF LICENSE FOR
JEANETTE "C". HE STATED VESSEL WAS OPERATING OUT OF GUAM
AND DURING REMAINDER OF YEAR WOULD BE EXPANDING ITS AREA
OF OPERATIONS BUILDINGUPON KNOWLEDGE GAINED PREVIOUS FISH-
ING SEASON AS A RESULT OF PTFD CHARTER.

2. VAN CAMP REP STATED THAT TO HIS KNOWLEDGE CHERRY'S DISCUSSIONS WITH GPNG OFFICIALS RELATED ONLY TO JEANETTE "C" AND THAT REPORTS OF VAN CAMP SEEKING EIGHT LICENSES WERE ERRONEOUS. HE INDICATED THAT GPNG HAD REVUSED TO GRANT A LICENSE FOR JEANETTE "C" AND THAT CHERRY HAD DEPARTED THE COUNTRY. WHEN QUERIED AS TO EXACT STATUS OF NEGOTIATIONS, HE STATED "WE ASSUME THAT WE WILL HEAR FROM THEM."

3. VAN CAMP REP INDICATED THAT ALTHOUGH THEY GREATLY DESIRED LICENSE TO FISH IN PNG ZONE, THEY DID NOT WISH CONFLICT AND WOULD OPERATE IN SUCH A MANNER AS TO AVOID SEIZURE. FURTHER INFORMATION WILL BE FORWARDED AS DEVELOPED. CHRISTOPHER

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